

COUNTY OF SAN DIEGO
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CONTROLLED BURN SET FOR RAMONA AIRPORT

Six Acres of Grassland To Be Burned May 28

County crews will burn six acres of grassland at Ramona Airport on Friday, May 28 as part of the continuing habitat management for the endangered Stephens Kangaroo Rat preserve. The burn is scheduled for about 8 a.m.

Firefighters from the Ramona Fire Department and California Department of Forestry will monitor the blaze.

This is part of the County's continuing effort to provide and maintain a safe and livable habitat for the species.

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